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## CONSERVATIVE TACTICS HAVE DISGUSTED VOTERS OF THE VERMILION CONSTITUENCY

Premier Sifton's Election Tomorrow by a Large Majority is a Certainty

SOME OPPOSITION YARNS  
Preposterous Stories and Mean Insinuations Circulated to Catch Votes

Vermilion, Alta., June 28.—This is the last day of the campaign in the by-election. That Premier Sifton will carry the constituency of Vermilion by a substantial majority there is little doubt. All through the district wherever he has spoken he has created a most favorable impression, and the methods of work adopted by his supporters have appealed to the people, where, on the other hand, the stories and the insinuations that the opposition have set on foot to snatch votes, has rather disgusted the better class of the community.

One favorable channel for the insinuation of political fables has been the Conservative organ in Edmonton. **Untrue Stories Published**  
For instance on the opening day of the campaign, the Conservative organ appeared with a story to the effect that Mr. McGeorge, the president of the Edmonton Board of Trade, had left for the northern part of the constituency with a quantity of "hoose" to be used in electioneering. Such a statement was a lie, and the man who wrote it knew he was lying but still it was perfectly acceptable to his paper. To those who know Mr. McGeorge the idea is a preposterous one. Only a few months ago when this very gentleman was raised to the presidency of the Board of Trade this very paper declared that there was not another man in the whole of Edmonton that was better fitted for the position.

Then the other day there appeared a story to the effect that the Liberals were in desperate straits, and that Hon. Duncan Marshall had wired to Medicine Hat praying Judge Mitchell to lend them the last two days of the campaign in this constituency.

**More Misrepresentation**  
The facts of the case were practically opposite to those represented as being the truth. Hon. Duncan Marshall wired Judge Mitchell to the effect that Dr. Clarke, M.P., had offered his services for a few days and if he was needed in Medicine Hat he would be glad to go there. And a day or two later Mr. Clarke did go to the southern constituency.

In yesterday's issue of this paper appeared the statement, "It is common knowledge that Sifton will not contest this constituency in the event of a general election; that he will run either in Calgary or Edmonton."  
The knowledge must be common to the man who wrote it, and to him alone, for Premier Sifton has again and again stated most emphatically that he will never run for a city constituency. He wishes to represent a rural constituency, and there is no doubt but that he will.

**Group of Falsehoods**  
Another group of glaring falsehoods is the statement that promises for roads, bridges and experimental farms are being scattered all over the constituency. "This is a lot of the face of it," for at every place he has spoken Mr. Sifton has stated very clearly that he will make no promises but the Vermonter constituency will receive just the same fair treatment as the other constituencies of the province.

Another thing that has aroused considerable feeling is the fact that opposition speakers have not been invited to speak at Conservative meetings. On Friday evening Mr. Hyndman of Edmonton spoke for two hours at Minburn, and when Mr. James Park, a prominent resident of the town asked permission to address the meeting for ten minutes he was refused. On the other hand, Conservative speakers have always been asked to speak at Mr. Sifton's meetings and in most cases have spoken for a longer time than the Premier.

**Good Meeting at Ranfurly**  
Ranfurly, Alta., June 28.—A large and enthusiastic meeting was held here this evening in the interests of the Liberal candidate. Mr. W. Reid, president, and Mr. Holden, Mr. Hyndman and Mr. Sifton spoke. Mr. Hyndman asked if he could speak for three quarters of an hour and was told he could have an hour. He took the full time, and in an eloquent speech on Dominion politics, attempted to show what a grand old party the Tories were. He hardly touched on provincial affairs. In his reply Premier Sifton scored heavily.

## OFFICIALS FOR NEW DIVISION

C. P. R. Appointments in Connection With New Division Headquarters at Moose Jaw

Winnipeg, Man., June 28.—J. J. Scully, Superintendent C.P.R., Moose Jaw, has been appointed General Superintendent of Saskatchewan with headquarters at Moose Jaw. J. H. Cameron, train master at Vancouver, succeeds Mr. Scully at superintendent at Moose Jaw. W. Martin, assistant engineer at Moose Jaw, has been appointed assistant divisional engineer. A. T. Short, division master mechanic at Cranbrook, has been appointed master mechanic of new division at Moose Jaw. H. R. Smart, dispatcher, Moose Jaw, has been appointed car service agent of the new division there. R. N. Young, assistant superintendent of telegraphs, Winnipeg, has been appointed superintendent of telegraphs of the new division with headquarters at Moose Jaw. All the appointments are effective July 1st.

## HAS THIRTY-ONE IN HIS FAMILY

Quebec, June 28.—Pierre Poudrier, of St. Alexis des Monts, is being congratulated on the birth of his thirty-first child.

Mr. Poudrier is sixty-three years old, and has been married twice. Seven children were born from his first marriage, fifteen from his second, and from the last nine.

Of these thirty-one children, twenty-three are still living, and the eldest is forty-three years of age.

Mr. Poudrier appears no older than his eldest son.

## DEATH LIST IS STILL GROWING

Mexican Railway Disaster Was Even Worse Than It Was Reported

Mexico City, Mex., June 28.—The catastrophe of last Wednesday on Manzanillo line of national railways, when four cars loaded with Mexican army officers and soldiers and members of their families broke from the train and dashed over a precipice continues to assume greater proportions. Today the list of dead reached a figure between sixty and seventy and of the wounded still surviving there are at least 35 children, 13 women, 8 officers, 61 soldiers and 4 prisoners who are in a grave condition while 100 more require surgical care.

## LEATHER TRUST IS ORGANIZED

Capital Is Fifteen Million—Will Control Three Quarters of the Business

Toronto, Ont., June 28.—It is stated that the organization of a merger capitalized at \$15,000,000 stock and \$5,000,000 bonds which will control 75 per cent of the leather business has been announced shortly. The new concern will be known as the Canadian Leather Company, Limited. Seven of the houses interested in the merger are situated in Montreal.

**NON-UNION SAILOR  
ALMOST MURDERED**  
Found on Dock at Buffalo With Placard Pasted on His Forehead

Buffalo, N. Y., June 28.—Edward Fraser, a non-union sailor was found bleeding to death on the docks last night. His left ear had been slashed off and there was a deep thirteen inch gash in his thigh. Across his forehead was pasted a printed placard bearing the inscription "Don't be a strikebreaker." Fraser had lost a lot of blood before the police found him and he may die.

## CONTRACTORS WILL START NEXT MONTH

Way Is Rapidly Being Cleared for Construction on High Level Bridge

The engineer's work in connection with the high level bridge is going ahead at a good pace and it is expected that the contractors will start their work in about one month's time.

On Ross Flat, just beside Walter's mill, a couple of small sheds have been put up by the C. P. R. and are now occupied by a survey party the chief of which is Mr. Farren.

The right of way has now been cleared some time and the centre line of the bridge has been run in. The land and four concrete piers, over a hundred feet in height above water level in the river bed. The contract for the concrete work has not yet been let but it is expected that this will soon be done as the plans are all ready and the work advanced enough to enable the contractors to commence at any time.

## CHURCH SENDS EMIGRANTS

London, June 28.—The Church Emigration Society despatched a party of working people to Canada on the Lake Erie which is sailing this year under Allan Line flag.

## CONSUMPTION MAY BE CONQUERED

London, June 28.—At the opening of a sanatorium for consumptives, Dr. Wm. Osler, said that we now had the knowledge how to cure consumption and it rested with the public whether it was to be stamped out. In three generations it could be stamped out unquestionably.

## REPORTS AGAINST SLAUGHTER-HOUSE

Medical Health Officer Says That the Abattoir Is a Public Nuisance

Dr. Whitelaw, medical health officer, who was asked by the city commission to make a report on the Burns slaughter house has completed it and will forward it to the commissioners. Dr. Whitelaw's report is condemnatory. He says that the outside of the building is fairly clean, but there are small piles of manure which are not exactly necessary. The killing room is located in a partially closed barn and a matter for special condemnation is the fact that the slaughter of animals can be seen and that the children who inhabit the neighborhood are often curious. There are also myriads of flies in every quarter.

The firm does a very large business and Dr. Whitelaw says the buildings are altogether inadequate. There can be no question, however, he says, that an abattoir situated in this one is a thickly populated neighborhood is a public nuisance.

Dr. Whitelaw made a little in the way of extenuating the methods of the company when he says that no matter how careful they may be there is always a certain filth attached to the industry.

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## NEGRO IS CHARGED WITH WIFE MURDER

Charles Davis of Saskatoon Must Prove His Story of Accidental Shooting

Saskatoon, June 28.—Charles Davis, colored, was charged with the murder of his wife at preliminary hearing here. He was committed for trial and was taken to Prince Albert jail to await sittings of the Supreme Court.

## IS IAN HAMILTON THE RIGHT MAN?

Question of Inspector General for Overseas Forces Again Up in British House

HALDANE SUPPORTS IDEA  
Says Forces in the Colonies Are Already on a Basis of Uniformity

London, June 28.—In the Commons yesterday, when the question of the Mediterranean command and inspectorship of the overseas forces arose again, Mr. Wyndham said he thought Sir Ian Hamilton's appointment was not wise, pointing out, among other things, that it might bring him into official relationship with the overseas governments. Haldane in replying expressed the belief that a foundation of a policy of uniformity in the various armies of Empire had now been laid and an Inspector General was needed who would be able to give a great deal of time to the work of inspection overseas if desired. Haldane referred to the fact that General Hamilton had commanded Canadian and Australian in the field as an additional recommendation for that distinguished officer.

## MONSTER SHIP PLANNED

Hamburg, June 28.—The Hamburg American Steamship Line plan the largest steamship in the world, having a length between perpendiculars of 876 feet and a breadth of 83½ feet. From keel to upper deck will measure 60 feet. She will have a speed of 22 knots, and will be twice the tonnage of the Kaiserin Auguste Victoria, which is a vessel of 24,521 tons register.

The new White Star steamers, the Olympic and Titanic, which are now building, will be 45,000 tons register.

## CATHOLICS CONFER ON TEMPERANCE

Large Congress Will Be Held in Quebec in the Coming August

Quebec, June 28.—The civic authorities were informed in a letter received from Mgr. Roy, auxiliary bishop of Quebec, that a congress on temperance will be held in this city beginning on August 25th next and closing on September 2nd. Mgr. Roy asserts that 2,000 delegates from all parts of America will be here to assist at the congress, while 1,200 who are coming from Europe to assist at the Eucharistic congress which will be held in Montreal will assist at the temperance congress while passing through there.

## Grounds Not for Sale

Secretary Baines of the Strathcona Industrial Exhibition, today emphatically denied the truth of the statement made by a contemporary this morning that a meeting will be called on the fourth of July at which the matter of disposing of the fair grounds in the shape of sub-divided property.

The report went on to say that the city would either acquire new grounds or amalgamate with the Edmonton Exhibition Association and hold a joint exhibition every year.

Mr. Barnes said that two years ago the matter had been considered and notices were put in the papers and called for. Bidders were sent in, but all were rejected and the matter was allowed to drop. No further question has since been raised on the subject.

## THREE KILLED BY A CYCLONE

Story of Death and Desolation From the Southern Part of Saskatchewan

SEVEN OTHERS INJURED  
House and Crops in Path of Storm Were All Totally Destroyed

Moose Jaw, Sask., June 28.—A frightful story of death and desolation as a result of Thursday's storm reached this city today from the south country about 60 miles from Moose Jaw. While the details are not full, it appears that a terrible cyclone struck the neighborhood about two o'clock on Thursday afternoon and was immediately followed by a terrific hailstorm which swept a strip of country a mile wide. Every house and shack in the path of the storm was destroyed. Three persons were killed. Seven were more or less seriously injured and all manner of crops utterly destroyed. The dead are: Ed Maddigan and his two little children. The injured are his mother, two sisters and two brothers, a hired man, William Wilson, leg broken; Palmer, collar bone broken; Thomas and Ward, cut and bruised about face.

## MR. W. D. SPENCE IS CITY CLERK

Calgary City Council Makes Some Changes Among the Civic Officials

Calgary, Alta., June 28.—Mr. W. D. Spence was last night appointed by the city council as city clerk at a salary of \$2,000 a year. Mr. Wood is controller at a salary of \$1,600 a year and Mr. Harry Minchin, assistant treasurer at a salary of \$1,800 a year. The position last named was created by the council last night and carries with it \$300 a month more salary than Mr. Minchin's present position. The legality of the legislation put through is questioned, however, by the Alderman who fought to place Mr. Minchin in the position given to Mr. Spence, and Alderman Brocklebank declared last night after the meeting that he would appeal to the court rather than allow such a thing to be carried out. He also gave notice of motion that at the next council meeting he would introduce a motion to reconsider on the grounds that the action taken last night was illegal.

## ALBERTA'S CAMP PLEASED FRENCH

British General Congratulates Lt.-Col. Cruikshank on Appearance and Work of Men

Calgary, Alta., June 28.—A letter from Sir John French, sent from Laguna, in which he speaks highly of what he saw at the military encampment which ended here last Saturday was received yesterday by Lieut.-Col. Cruikshank, commander of military district No. 13. It is as follows:

"I am sending you a line to tell you how pleased I was with my visit to Calgary, and to see your camp so clean and well laid out. The work of the cavalry and artillery in the morning was most interesting. I was much struck with the excellent work as regards both the men and horses. The men rode wonderfully well and displayed much dash and go. I feel sure they are a very valuable and useful force. I shall carry away a pleasant recollection of Western Canada."

## GIRL ATTEMPTS SUICIDE

Winnipeg, Man., June 28.—Annie McGreedy, employed at the Stock Exchange hotel, attempted suicide by poisoning yesterday, presumably on account of a lover's quarrel, and is in a critical condition at the General Hospital.

The men who wear our soft shirts will wear the best shirts made for the money. Kelly & Moore.

## FINNS WILL COME TO THIS COUNTRY

Government, It Is Said, Will Give Them Land in Hudson Bay District

London, June 28.—It is learned that an exodus of the native of Finland to Canada is probable at an early date. The Dominion government, it is understood, is prepared to afford them facilities to settle in the Hudson's Bay region.

## ROYAL ALLIANCE WITH GERMANY

Kaiser Said to Wish Marriage of His Daughter and Prince Edward

WOULD KING CONSENT?

Kaiser's Aim to Establish Friendship Between His Country and Great Britain

Berlin, June 28.—There are interesting rumors in circulation in military and social quarters at Potsdam to the effect that the Kaiser and Kaiserin are thinking of a matrimonial alliance between their only daughter, Princess Victoria Louise of Prussia and the eldest son of the King and Queen of England, who became Prince of Wales this week.

The Princess, who will be eighteen next September, is one year and three quarters older than the Prince of Wales, but she would not be regarded as a handmaid from her parent's point of view. The marriage with a future King of England would suggest political advantages of far-reaching effect.

Close dynamic ties between England and Germany have, of course, not been able to prevent strained relations and the bad blood between the two countries. It is believed in Germany that if the Kaiser's daughter should become Great Britain's future King's consort the danger of Anglo-German hostilities would become remote. King George ranks here as first-class Germanophile and doubts are entertained as to whether he could be persuaded to consider an alliance between his heir and the Kaiser's daughter.

## KILLED BY STREET CAR

Winnipeg, Man., June 27.—Chas. Chadwick, a young Winnipegger, died yesterday morning as a result of injuries received in being run over by a Park Line car on Saturday afternoon.

## EXHIBIT PRODUCTS OF THIS DISTRICT

Exhibition Association Will Collect Grains, Grasses and Roots Grown Around Here

In view of the fact that north and central Alberta will probably have the best crop in years this season the directors of the exhibition association in meeting last night decided to collect the sum of \$300 in gathering together a general exhibition of grains, grasses and roots, which are being grown in the district. This exhibit will be a large one and will fill a space 60 feet by 50 feet and where will be a wall space of 15 feet in height. It will probably be located under the grand stand near the main entrance, there being abundance of room there.

Mr. J. L. Porter of Strathcona, has been asked to gather the specimens.

## JURY'S VERDICT WAS NOT GUILTY

Judge Said It Was Black Spot on History of the County of Pontiac

Ottawa, Ont., June 28.—Mrs. Annie Murphy, charged at Bryson with murdering and abetting her husband, Michael, in the Shawville tragedy when Dale and Howe were shot, was acquitted on Saturday. The judge said the verdict was a black spot in the history of Pontiac County. The jury was out four hours.

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## BENNETT WILL QUIT POLITICS

At Early Date, He Says, But Not Right Away as Was Rumored

HOW ABOUT LEADERSHIP?

Rumor of Resignation Arose in Connection With Conservative Caucus Next Week

Calgary, Alta., June 28.—The rumor has been spread about the city that Mr. R. B. Bennett intended to resign at an early date, probably before the Conservative convention which is to be held here on July 5. Doubtless the rumor has been caused by the fact that it is announced that a provincial leader would be appointed at that meeting for though Mr. Bennett declines to call himself the leader, he is really the leader of his party in the Legislature whether he calls himself that or not. The rumor has been strengthened by the fact that Mr. Bennett has taken no part in the by-elections, although Conservatives are very actively engaged in contesting the election, both in Medicine Hat and Vermilion.

"I have not resigned," said Mr. Bennett to the Albertan.

"I have not told any person that I intended to announce my resignation at the Conservative caucus, which I believe will be held here next month. I know nothing of such a meeting except what I see in the newspapers. The rumor is news to me except that I intend to retire from politics at an early date. I cannot say when that will be. That is all that I can say about it."

## C.P.R. INJUNCTION IS NOT DISSOLVED

C. N. R. Must Show Under What Act Calgary Line Is Being Built

Calgary, June 28.—Mr. W. F. AV. Lent renewed his application yesterday for the dissolution of the injunction restricting the C.N.R. from entering on the irrigated lands of the C. P. R.

After a hearing extending all day, Mr. Justice Stewart stated that he had no intention of deciding this matter until Mr. Lent brought on affidavit proving whether the C.N.R. were building their Calgary-Vegreville extension under a Dominion act, or under powers allowed them by the Alberta Provincial Railway Act of 1905, by which they were compelled to submit the route of their line for approval to the Minister of Railways, a step which had not been taken by them.

Mr. Bennett, for the C.P.R., offered to show in a personal affidavit stating that the railway was being built under the provincial act, that the Calgary-Vegreville extension was an amalgamation with the old Alberta and Mallard Railway and as such was receiving a provincial guarantee and a provincial subsidy; when as a matter of fact, the provincial government had no idea where the railway was going to or what route it would cover. The C.N.R. had trespassed upon C. P. R. lands and were trespassing upon C. P. R. lands in various parts of the province, but they were also building a railway which the people were paying for over the direction of which the very government, which was finding the money had no control.

## THE WEATHER

Forecast—A few local showers or thunder storms, but mostly fine and warm.

Fine and very warm weather has been general over the prairie provinces. A good shower of rain is reported at Edmonton and a very light shower at Kamuskok. No rain reported elsewhere.

For Western Canada's Great Industrial Fair at Winnipeg, Man., July 19th to 23rd, 1910, the Canadian Pacific Railway will have special excursion rates. For full particulars as to rates, limits, etc., apply to nearest Canadian Pacific Ticket Agent.

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Scene from "The Alaskan." Empire Theatre.

## MELBA'S RETURN TO LONDON

In any circumstances the reappearance in London of Mme. Melba would have been marked (not by opera goers as an occasion of special enthusiasm. But since there is proverbial authority for believing that absence breeds affection, the Australian prima donna's many admirers must have found an additional reason for offering her the heartiest of welcomes last night. In other words, Mme. Melba has been too long absent from the world of opera, nearly two years having passed since she graced Covent Garden stage. A good part of that interval has been spent by the artist in her native land, where an extended concert tour has brought her a succession of triumphs of the kind which she has long been happily familiar. Then was every justification there, for the note of exuberant fervor that marked the diva's re-entrance and it will hardly need to be added that last night's audience was remarkable for its numbers as well as for its enthusiasm.

All will rejoice to hear that Mme. Melba has come back to us in excellent form, and that her voice has lost none of its magic. As pure and liquid in quality as before, it was used once more with all the fastidious art that this artist always has at her command, and to those with ears to hear it must have been a delight again to note the perfection of her phrasing. There were moments following Miss's first entrance when the singer betrayed some tokens of the nervousness inseparable from such an occasion, but soon she was able to do herself complete justice. The high C sung at the close of the act outside the Bohemians' attic was taken with all her accustomed ease and address, while in the third act her voice seemed to have gained in strength, and in this scene, moreover, her singing was remarkable for the note of pathos sounded by the artist.

## W. T. FINLAY ON ALBERTA'S FUTURE

Former Minister of Agriculture For This Province is on a Visit to Toronto

The Toronto Globe says: The Hon. W. T. Finlay, formerly Minister of Agriculture for the Alberta Government, who retired before the recent political upheaval in the province, is visiting Toronto. He is confident that the province will soon settle down to its wonted calm under the Premiership of Mr. A. L. Sifton, whose aptitude for leadership is undoubted.

Mr. Finlay is greatly interested in the development of the irrigation projects in southern Alberta, because, in the long run, they will mean much to Medicine Hat, his home town, which, with natural gas as five cents a thousand feet, is beginning to manufacture things that the farmers need. One of the new industries is a sewer pipe and tile-making concern that is building on a big scale.

The great C. P. R. ditch from the Bow does not include Medicine Hat in its sphere of influence, but the McGregor Syndicate, which will irrigate with the waters of the South Saskatchewan brings water to the land adjacent to the town. The arrival of many settlers accustomed to dry farming from the States is much more important to the Medicine Hat district even than irrigation. The dry farming operations are resulting in a great increase of the area under crop.

Mr. Finlay believes that Alberta will become a province of diversified agriculture. Dairying is taking a good grip, most of the surplus butter being sold in British Columbia, which should itself be one of the best dairying regions in Canada. The use of alfalfa in cattle feeding is spreading and the Raymond beet sugar factory is supplying a large part of the west with sugar.

Mr. Finlay sees nothing ahead of Mr. Finlay sees nothing but prosperity ahead for Alberta. Soon, he believes, the manufacturers who send so great a part of their product to the west will seek to establish branches there. He points out that Medicine Hat is on the spot with one of the chief needs of the factory owner, cheap heat and light.

## AGED MAN PLUNGED INTO THE RAPIDS

Patient in New Brunswick Hospital for Nervous Diseases Jumps to Death

St. John, N. B., June 27.—Patrick O'Neill, aged 70, of West, Restigouche County, went to his death in the Reversing Falls yesterday afternoon. He was a patient in the provincial hospital for nervous diseases and had the freedom of the grounds. He climbed the railing on the suspension bridge and plunged through 70 feet of space to the swirling waters.

## UNION APPEALS TO SHAUGHNESSY

Dispute Between C. P. R. and Trainmen and Conductors is Still Unsettled

Montreal, June 28.—Nothing resulted from yesterday's conference between representatives of the Canadian Pacific and the Trainmen and Conductors Unions save a continuation of the impasse which has been reached. The conference lasted some time, but the representatives of the company practically had their backs to the wall and stood by their position that they would not accept the report of the board of conciliation. The representatives of the men adhered to their demands for the standard rate of wages for the territory. Each side explained the reasons for its position and eventually the meeting ended, with no evidences of ill-feeling on either side, but no indication or inclination to compromise.

A final effort to settle the differences was made last night when the men sent an appeal to Sir Thomas S. Shaughnessy as a result of their conference with Mr. Leonard and other representatives. Vice President Berry of the Conductors' Brotherhood stated that the result of the conference had been simply to emphasize the stand of the company on their previous decision to accept the finding of the board of conciliation. This he said the men would not accept and they had now made an appeal to Caesar by writing to the president and the Canadian Pacific.

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Grenfell, Sask., June 27.—Will Hyde, the eleven year old son of Walter Hyde, of Grenfell, was drowned at the dam last night at 8.30.

## WINNIPEG FACTORY BURNED

Winnipeg, June 28.—A wood factory on McGregor street belonging to F. Garwick, was burned yesterday morning. The loss is placed at \$3,000.











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### About Town

The Toronto Conservatory of Music examinations will be held in the All Saints' school house on July 1st.

A meeting of the retail merchants of the city will be held in the Hotel Trade Centre at eight o'clock this evening. Every merchant is urged to be present.

A garden party will be held tonight on the R. C. grounds, Tenth street. A band will be in attendance. Should it be wet tonight the party will be postponed until tomorrow evening.

The Syndicate Avenue Baptist Church, through Chas. F. Townsend, treasurer of the poor fund, has handed \$50 over to the work of the United Aids in the city.

H. S. Hegler was fined \$5 and 5 cents or three days, in the police court this morning for riding a bicycle on the sidewalk. Two drinks were released on suspended sentence.

Mr. G. W. Murray, of Toronto, secretary of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, has been in the city for the past few days, coming from here to Vancouver. Mr. Murray is attending for the excursion in connection with the Manufacturers' Association to the west which is to be held this year. The annual convention of the association will be held this year in Vancouver, some time in September.

### FACTIONAL FUED MAY BREAK OUT

Attempted Assassination of Cuban Congressman Regarded as Beginning of Trouble

Havana, June 26.—An attempt to kill Antonio Miguel, Congressman from Pinar del Rio, and editor of La Lucha, was made in the lobby of Congress a few minutes before that body was to open its session.

Congressman Manzi Lopez, of Oriente, was the assailant. The second shot he fired went wild but almost hit another congressman standing near.

The attempt to kill Miguel when it became generally known caused intense excitement throughout the city. The prediction is general that the shooting is only the preliminary of a bloody factional feud.

Lopez was not arrested, on account of his congressional immunity.



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### Personal

The marriage is taking place this afternoon at the home of the bride's father, of Miss Abby Somerville, daughter of Mr. John Somerville, 50 Mr. Richard Gordon of this city.

The marriage was performed at All Saints' Church, Edmonton, yesterday, of Miss daughter of W. H. Sheppard of Strathcona to Herbert G. Turner of Edmonton.

Thursday Rev. R. J. Wilson united in holy matrimony Miss Violet Ballah of Manitoba and Mr. J. McFarlin of Edmonton. The service was conducted at 167 Murray street—Vancouver Province.

Messrs. H. C. Campbell and A. W. Thompson of Portland, Ore., who are making a business tour of the west at the moment. These gentlemen are looking about for good land investments, their object being to rent it to incoming American settlers.

The Winnipeg Free Press says of the appointment to the High Court Bench of H. A. Robson, K.C., well-known in Edmonton, where he has appeared in several important cases within the past year. Mr. Robson's appointment will be received with great gratification by the legal fraternity of Winnipeg. It will, however, cause no surprise, as it has been practically an open secret for some time that he was to be offered this position. Mr. Robson is an Englishman by birth. He came to Regina as a young man studied law in the office of D. L. Scott, now one of the Alberta judges, and was called to the bar in the year 1892. He rapidly made his mark at the bar, and was, for some two years, deputy attorney general of the Territories under the Laurier administration. In 1899, he came to Winnipeg as a junior member of the law firm headed by J. A. M. Aikens, K.C., which has been known for some years now as Aikens, Robson & Co. Mr. Robson steadily won his spurs in the Winnipeg legal field, and has been for some years regarded as one of the ablest and soundest lawyers in the province. His appointment completes the full strength of the Court of Kings Bench.

The Canadian Pacific Railway announce that they will operate a standard sleeping car on special excursion train from Strathcona monthly of July first. This train will leave Strathcona at 1 o'clock arriving Calgary at 2:15 same morning, leave Calgary 2:30 o'clock arriving Strathcona 8 o'clock morning of July 2nd. Secure sleeping car tickets at Edmonton office.

### DEATHS

ARCHIBALD.—On Monday, June 27, at 117 "Redwood," "Berklyn" street, Alice Gertrude, beloved wife of A. Archibald. Funeral announcement later.

WANTED.—COPIES OF THE Daily Capital of June 25. Persons having same will confer a favor on the management by leaving same at the office.

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### COULD HOSPITAL GIVE MORTGAGE

Board Will Be Asked to Sign an Agreement to Secure the Authority

### COMMISSIONERS MEETING

Stoney Plain Man Refused Permission to Hang Advertising Banner Across Street

At yesterday afternoon's meeting of the city commissioners a communication was read from the city solicitor stating that the board of directors of the new Royal Alexandra Hospital had authority to give mortgage as security for the money recently voted by the city for the erection of the building. The board will be asked to sign an agreement that they will not take any action empowering them to issue the mortgage.

There was some discussion over Commissioner Bonillon's complaint that the city mail was not handled in a satisfactory manner. He claimed that all incoming mail should pass through the hands of one of the commissioners before distribution to the various departments, and that all outgoing mail should also be inspected by a commissioner and a copy of each letter kept for reference. It was finally decided that the system should be adopted.

Plans for the proposed addition to the city hall, together with the city engineer's estimate for the changes proposed for the exhibition grandstand were referred to Commissioner Bonillon.

Permission was asked by a representative of Stoney Plain for the hanging of a banner across First street advertising the sports which are to be held in that place on July 1st. The commissioners refused the request and will do likewise in the case of other such applications.

A request was granted to the street maintenance department to use as a tool shed the small building near the entrance to the exhibition grounds.

On the recommendation of Chief Linney the commissioners granted the petition of Constable Hoyle that his six months' service completed in August 1900, together with the six months that will be completed in August of this year, constitute the 12 months' service necessary for an increase.

The plans for the new fire hall and the hose tower to be erected in No. 2 station are approved subject to minor changes.

Several communications from the secretary of the Exhibition Association were discussed. It was decided that the fence around the race track be painted white, the work to be done by day labor.

The commissioners decided that 2,000 specially constructed chairs be purchased in accordance with the estimate submitted by the Grand Rapids Mfg. firm for use in the reserved seat section of the grand stand.

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<p><b>\$6.50 TRUNKS</b>, veneered Brazilian single iron bound, extra strong, brass trimmings, one tray, 34 inches. Special Sale</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>\$5.20</b></p>	<p><b>\$16.00 LADIES' SKIRT TRUNKS</b>, three tray with compartments, heavy duck covered and riveted throughout, 34 inches. Special Sale</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>\$12.80</b></p>	<p><b>\$21.50 WARDROBE TRUNKS</b> for women or men, cloth lined, riveted throughout, full set of hangers. Reduced for this sale to</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>\$16.20</b></p>
<p><b>\$5.00 TRUNK</b>, canvas covered, single iron bound, one tray with compartment, 34 inches. Special Sale</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>\$4.00</b></p>	<p><b>\$25.00 TRUNKS</b>, duck covered and lined, solid brass catches and corners, two trays, 34 inches. Special Sale</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>\$18.40</b></p>	<p><b>\$4.00 TRUNKS</b>, Malleable iron covered, rug top, the kind that stand the hard knocks of camp life. Extra special</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>\$3.00</b></p>
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<p><b>SOLID LEATHER \$5.50</b> Suit Cases, with shirt bands. Special</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>\$5.50</b></p>	<p><b>\$7.50 SOLID LEATHER SUIT CASES</b> in brown or russet. Special</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>\$7.50</b></p>	<p><b>\$8.50 SOLID LEATHER SUIT CASES</b>, 2 leather straps. Special</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>\$8.50</b></p>
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<p><b>\$10.50 TAN CLUB BAGS</b>, square bottom, leather lined. Special</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>\$8.50</b></p>	<p><b>LADIES AND GENTS' FITTED SUIT CASES</b>, double locks, Reg. \$11.50. Special</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>\$8.20</b></p>	<p><b>BAGS—Lion Seal Club</b>, leather lined. Special for this sale. Regular \$12, for</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>\$9.60</b></p>

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